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Group: **1774**

Examiner: **Gray**

For: **SUPPORT COVERED WITH A CHITOSAN-BASED COATING AND METHOD
FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF**

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July 28, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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SECOND SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted subsequent to the Examiner's Advisory Action dated July 19, 2006, refusing entry to the Applicants' Amendment After Final Rejection dated June 29, 2006, and is intended to be responsive to the Official Action dated June 5, 2006, which set a nominal response due date of September 5, 2006. Entry of the subject Amendment and allowance of this application are therefore requested.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.121, each section of the subject Amendment (e.g., Claim Amendments, Specification Amendments, Drawing Amendments and Remarks) as may be appropriate to the issues raised in the Official Action to which this paper responds, begins on a separate page. Changes to the original text, claims and the like are shown by striking through language to be deleted and underlining of language to be added.

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